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Applicant(s): Hermann Bujard, et al

Invention: ANIMALS TRANSGENIC FOR A TETRACYCLINE-REGULATED TRANSCRIPTIONAL INHIBITOR

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed from the Patent Office on October 30, 2002 (Paper No. 16). A separate petition for the appropriate extension of time to respond is being filed concurrently herewith. Prior to examination, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claim 12.

Please amend claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7-11, 13-16, 18, 19, 21-28, as follows (for the convenience of the Examiner, all of the claims, whether or not amended, are presented below):